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E.O. 11652: GDS
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SUBJ: HUMAN RIGHTS REPORTING TO CONGRESS

REF: STATE 053199

1. ON MARCH 15, IN THE ABSENCE OF THE FOREIGN MINISTER, THE AMBASSADOR INFORMED THE ACTING SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE FOREIGN OFFICE THAT A REPORT ON UPPER VOLTA'S OBSERVANCE OF HUMAN RIGHTS HAD BEEN RELEASED TO PUBLIC BY CONGRESS. THE AMBASSADOR EXPLAINED THAT THESE REPORTS HAD BEEN PREPARED BY THE DEPARTMENT AT THE REQUEST OF CONGRESS AND THAT THE REPORT ON UPPER VOLTA WAS QUITE POSITIVE.

2. THE ACTING SECRETARY GENERAL STATED THAT, IN VIEW OF UPPER VOLTA'S RECORD, HE COULD NOT IMAGINE THAT THE PUBLICATION OF THE REPORT COULD CAUSE ANY EMBARRASSMENT TO GOUV. HE SAID VOLTAN MINISTRY OF JUSTICE HAD JUSE PREPARED A SIMILAR REPORT FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF THE UN HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION NOW MEETING IN GENEVA. HE DID NOT ASK FOR A COPY OF THE REPORT TO CONGRESS.
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